MEMORANDUM

Agenda Item 15(C)1

To: Honorable Chairwoman Rebeca Sosa, and Members, Board of County Commissioners

Date: October 22, 2013

From: Honorable Harvey Ruvin, Clerk Circuit and County Courts

Subject: Reappointment of David Kahn to the Addiction Services Board

Christopher Agrippa, Division Chief
Clerk of the Board Division

It is recommended that the Board consider reappointment of David Kahn to serve on the Miami-Dade County Addiction Services Board.

In accordance with Section 2-422 of the Miami-Dade County code, the Miami Coalition for a Safe & Drug Free Community has recommended the reappointment of Mr. Kahn to serve as a "private sector" representative of the Miami-Dade Addiction Services Board. The Code provides that qualified candidates who serve as "private sector" representatives of the Board must have their appointment ratified by the County Commission.

A copy of the memoranda from Douglas W. Hughes, Executive Director of the Miami Coalition and Michael Doherty, Staff Support for the Addictions Services Board have been included for your review.

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Attachments

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MEMORANDUM

Date: September 6, 2013

To: The Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners

From: Douglas W. Hughes, Executive Director

Subject: Reappointment of David Kahn to the Addiction Services Board

The Miami Coalition For A Safe And Drug Free Community, Inc. requests the reappointment of Mr. David Kahn to the Miami-Dade County Addiction Services Board. Mr. Kahn has previously served on the ASB as the representative of the State Attorney for our circuit and for the last three years as an attorney in private practice. Mr. Kahn continues to be actively involved in many civic and charitable organizations as well as local professional associations. His law practice frequently involves clients who are dealing with substance abuse issues. Mr. Kahn's experience and contacts enhance the discussions and information sharing that is a mainstay of the Addiction Services Board. He is committed to continuing his contributions to the ASB by providing time and input toward achieving the goals of the Board.

Thank you for your consideration of this request to reappoint David Kahn to the ASB. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 866-305-7365, dhughes@miamicoalition.org or 954-594-1000.

Memorandum

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

Date: September 6, 2013

To: Christopher Agrippa, Division Chief
Miami-Dade County Clerk of the Board

From: Michaela Doherty, Staff Support
Miami-Dade County Addiction Services Board
Office of Management and Budget

Subject: Addiction Services Board Reappointment

The Miami-Dade County Addiction Services Board (ASB), as established by Ordinance 90-144, is composed of nine public sector members, named by means of their position and nine private sector members nominated by the Miami Coalition For A Safe And Drug Free Community, and submitted to the Board of County Commissioners for approval.

I am forwarding you a request from Mr. Doug Hughes, Executive Director of the Miami Coalition, to reappoint Mr. David Kahn as a private sector member to the ASB. Mr. Kahn practices law and frequently has clients who are dealing with substance abuse issues. His experience will continue to enhance the discussions and information sharing on the board. Please forward the reappointment to the Board of County Commissioners for approval. Please do not hesitate to contact me at (305) 375-2108, should you require any additional information.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Attachments: Memoranda